

Great Plains Cooperative Ecosystem Studies Unit (GPCESU)

- University of Nebraska (Host)
- Colorado State University
- Langston University
- Little Priest Tribal Collage
- Texas A&M University
- South Dakota State University
- University of North Dakota
- University of Minnesota
- University of Oklahoma
- University of Wyoming
- University of South Dakota
- (Oklahoma State University)
- (Southwest Missouri State University)

GPCESU Cont.

- Bureau of Land Management
- National Park Service
- US Forest Service
- USGS
- (Bureau of Reclamation)

Protocol for developing, implementing, and tracking proposals for research, technical assistance, and education

- Protocol for National Park Service only
- A project usually originates at a park (by Resource Manager)
- Park informs me (NPS GPCESU Research Coordinator) of proposed project and works directly with partner university PI(s) to develop Scope of Work (project proposal). Park initiates Project Summary Form and prepares Purchase Request (DI-1).
- I coordinate peer-review of SOW (if needed), document substantial involvement in the project by NPS, and submit SOW and Project Summary Form to partner university Grants Office.

Protocol Cont.

- NPS Assistance Officer (Tonya Bradley) receives Cooperative Agreement Modification (SOW, Project Summary Form, and Standard Form 424) from partner university Grants Office and approves modification for funding.
- I and Assistance Officer maintain Cooperative Agreement Modification file for duration of project.
- I consult with Parks to determine if invoices can be paid.

Great Plains Cooperative Ecosystem Studies Unit Cooperative Agreement Modification

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FUNDING AGENCY:

National Park Service

MODIFICATION NO.: GPCESU H6000A100G
(to be administered by CESU coordinator)

COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT NO.: CA6000A0100

FUNDING AMOUNT: \$14,950

INVESTIGATORS: Dr. Hugh Genoways

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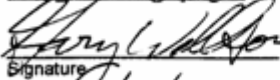
PROJECT TITLE: Search of Museums for Specimens of Vertebrates from Parks in the Northern Great Plains Network

EFFECTIVE DATES: October 1, 2001 to September 30, 2003

PROJECT ABSTRACT: Natural history collections in museums, arboreta, zoos, and educational institutions as well as private collections, represent a wealth of information regarding biodiversity at all levels. This project will seek to determine the location of voucher specimens of vertebrates collected from national park units in the Northern Great Plains Network. Voucher specimens located will be assessed for their proper identification, cataloging, care. An electronic database of voucher specimens of vertebrates from the parks will be created and submitted to the National Park Service.

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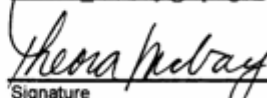
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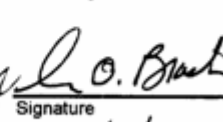
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